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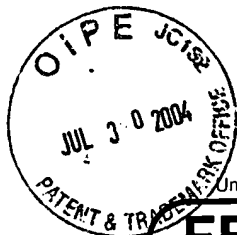
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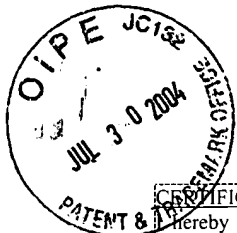
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REQUEST TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP BY ADDING
ADDITIONAL JOINT INVENTOR UNDER 37 CFR 1.48(a)

In accordance with 37 CFR §1.48(a), Applicant petitions to amend the above-identified application to correct the inventorship by adding an additional joint inventor, DALE COLEMAN.

Enclosed are a Statement by DALE COLEMAN that the error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intention on his part, the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(i), the written consent of the assignee ALARIS Medical Systems, Inc., and a Second Declaration and Power of Attorney submitted under 37 CFR 1.63 enclosed in


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counterparts. Also enclosed is a Revocation and Appointment of Attorney, along with copies of certain documents required under 37 CFR § 3.74(b).

Applicant believes that the correct fee is enclosed for the subject petition and enclosed papers; however, if the fee is incorrect, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-2425.

Respectfully submitted,

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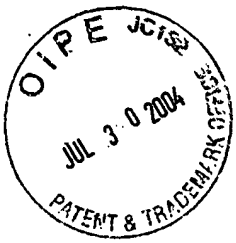
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STATEMENT OF DALE COLEMAN

I, DALE COLEMAN, declare as follows:

The invention described and claimed in the above-identified patent application was developed jointly by Robert J. Duffy; Lon M. Severe; Edward M. Richards; Shawn W. DeKalb; James P. Stewart; Timothy Vanderveen, and me, and I believe that I should be added as a named, joint inventor.

The error in inventorship occurred without any deceptive intention on my part.

2004 July 07
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DALE COLEMAN

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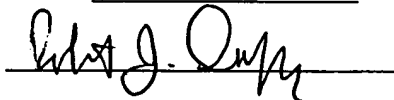
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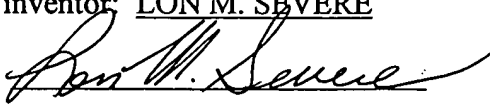
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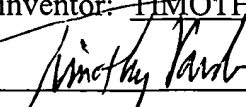
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TO ADD NAMED JOINT INVENTOR

Dear Sir:

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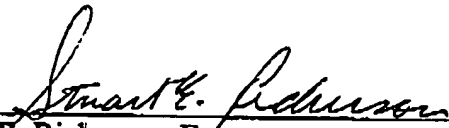
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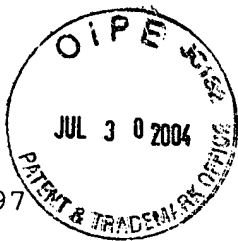
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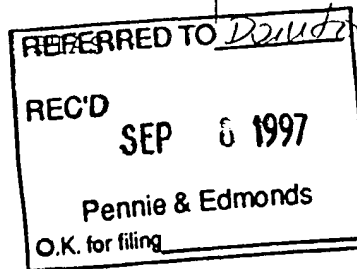


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ASSIGNMENT

This Assignment effective as of August 23, 1999, made by DALE COLEMAN of Santa Clarita, Ca.; Assignor, to ALARIS MEDICAL SYSTEMS, INC., a Delaware corporation, Assignee, having a place of business at 10221 Wateridge Circle, San Diego, California 92121.

WHEREAS, Assignor has invented a new and useful METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR POWER CONNECTION IN A MODULAR PATIENT CARE SYSTEM, for which an application for United States Letters Patent was filed on August 23, 1999 and has Application No. 09/379,212; and

WHEREAS, Assignor believes himself to be the original, first, and joint inventor of the invention disclosed and claimed in said application for Letters Patent; and

WHEREAS, Assignee desires to acquire by formal, recordable assignment the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention, said application, and any Letters Patent that may be granted for said invention for good and valuable consideration the United States and throughout the world;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby sells, assigns, and transfers to Assignee, the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention, said application, and any Letters Patent that may be granted for said invention in the United States and throughout the world, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the name of Assignee and to claim for any such foreign applications any priority rights to which such applications are entitled under international conventions, treaties, or otherwise.


Further, Assignor agrees that, upon request and without further compensation, but at no expense to Assignor, he and his legal representative(s) and assigns will do all lawful acts, including the execution of papers and the giving of testimony, that may be necessary or desirable for obtaining, maintaining, sustaining, reissuing, or enforcing Letters Patent in the United States and throughout the world for said invention, and for perfecting, recording, or maintaining the title of Assignee, its successors and assigns, to said invention, said application, and any Letters Patent granted for said invention in the United States and throughout the world.

Assignor represents and warrants that he has not granted and will not grant to others any rights inconsistent with the rights granted herein.

Assignor authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States and of all foreign countries to issue any Letters Patent granted for said invention, whether on said application or on any subsequently filed division, continuation, continuation-in-part or reissue application, to Assignee, its successors and assigns, as the assignee of the entire interest in said invention.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has executed this Assignment on the date written herein below.

Date: 2004 July 07


Dale Coleman

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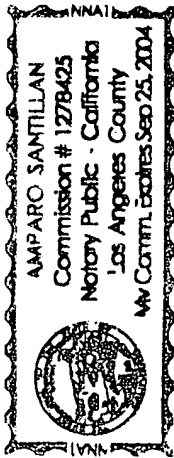
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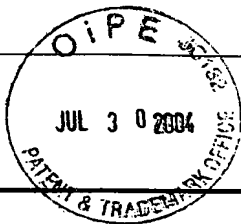
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Name: Alaris Medical Systems, Inc.Address: 10221 Wateridge Circle
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5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

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- ☒ which is identified by Pennie & Edmonds LLP docket no. 8236-053-999
- ☒ which was filed on August 23, 1999, Application No. 09/379,212

and WHEREAS, Alaris Medical Systems, Inc., 10221 Wateridge Circle, San Diego, California, 92121, ASSIGNEE is desirous of obtaining my entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention and the said application:

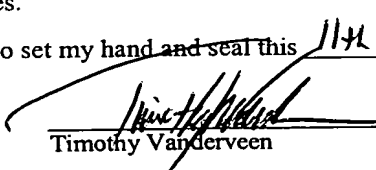
NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to me in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I, the said ASSIGNOR, have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, my entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention, and the said United States application and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Patents of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof; and all applications for industrial property protection, including, without limitation, all applications for patents, utility models, and designs which may hereafter be filed for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States, together with the right to file such applications and the right to claim for the same the priority rights derived from said United States application under the Patent Laws of the United States, the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, or any other international agreement or the domestic laws of the country in which any such application is filed, as may be applicable; and all forms of industrial property protection, including, without limitation, patents, utility models, inventors' certificates and designs which may be granted for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof;

AND I HEREBY authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States, and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents or other evidence or forms of industrial property protection on applications as aforesaid, to issue the same to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

AND I HEREBY covenant and agree that I have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that I have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith.

AND I HEREBY further covenant and agree that I will communicate to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to me respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing, reissue and foreign applications, make all rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in all countries.

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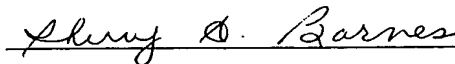


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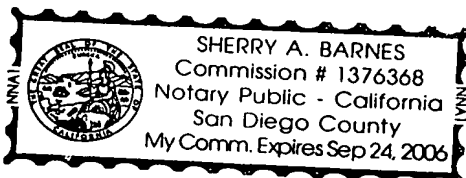
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On August 11, 2003, before me, Sherry A. Barnes, Notary Public, personally appeared Timothy Vanderveen, personally known to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same in his/her authorized capacity, and that by his/her signature on the instrument the person, or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

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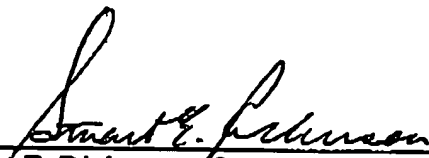
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The undersigned, whose title is indicated below, is empowered to sign this Power of Attorney and statement on behalf of the Assignee.

Dated: July 23, 2004



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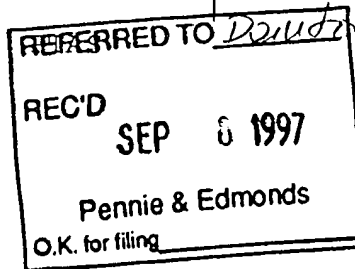


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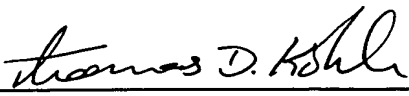
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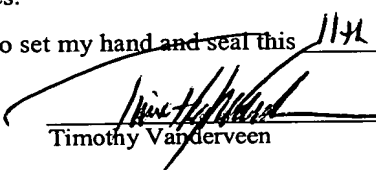
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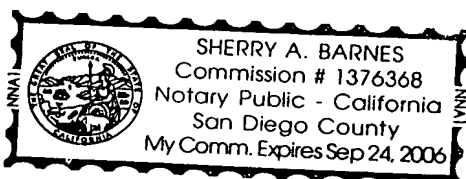
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WHEREAS, Assignor believes himself to be the original, first, and joint inventor of the invention disclosed and claimed in said application for Letters Patent; and

WHEREAS, Assignee desires to acquire by formal, recordable assignment the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention, said application, and any Letters Patent that may be granted for said invention for good and valuable consideration the United States and throughout the world;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby sells, assigns, and transfers to Assignee, the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention, said application, and any Letters Patent that may be granted for said invention in the United States and throughout the world, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the name of Assignee and to claim for any such foreign applications any priority rights to which such applications are entitled under international conventions, treaties, or otherwise.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has executed this Assignment on the date written herein below.

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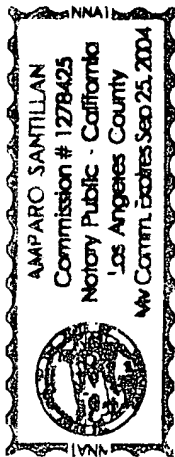
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